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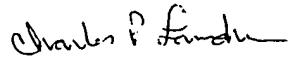
Please find enclosed:

1. Response to Office Communication Dated July 9, 2002;
2. Declaration of Deborah R. Wilson, Ph.D., Under 37 C.F.R. 1.132;
3. Cited Reference of Martin, Journal of Photochemistry and Photobiology, 63:162-70, 200; and
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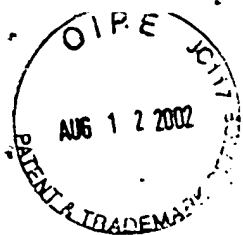
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Serial No.: 09/556,440

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For: DOWN REGULATION OF DNA REPAIR
TO ENHANCE SENSITIVITY TO P53
MEDIATED SUPPRESSION

Group Art Unit: 1642

Examiner: B. Brumback

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION DATED JULY 9, 2002

Commissioner for Patents
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Commissioner:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Communication dated July 9, 2002 for which the one-month date for response is August 9, 2002.

It is believed that no fee is due; however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P. Account No.: 50-1212/10015835/SLH.

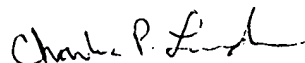
RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION

The Communication mailed July 9, 2002 notified applicant of the inadvertent failure to provide 1) the cited reference of Martin, Journal of Photochemistry and Photobiology, 63:162-70, 2001 (Martin reference) and 2) a signed declaration of Dr. Debbie Wilson (Wilson declaration) with the response to Office Action dated October 24, 2001.

Please find enclosed the omitted Martin reference and the corrected Wilson declaration. In light of the foregoing, Applicants believe the response to the Office Action dated April 4, 2002 is fully responsive and respectfully request reconsideration.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned patent agent at 512-536-5674 with any questions, comments or suggestions relating to the referenced patent application.

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